

## PEOPLE

Sandbagging efforts continue as flood waters force Pontoon Beach residents from homes. **Page 2A**

## NEWS

High school students provide role models for younger children in Madison. **Page 5A**

## Heavy rains cause flooding



Gloria Knobloch, left, holds a bag as Charlie Collins fills it with sand at the main Granite City Fire Station Wednesday. Both were watching TV when the call for volunteers was broadcast.

## Memories of '93 flood residents' minds

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

Water was not a scarce commodity in the Metro East Wednesday, but sand was worth its weight in gold.

More than 48 hours of rainfall — including nearly 4 inches in a period of an hour and a half Tuesday morning and at least that much throughout the day Wednesday — caused flash flooding throughout the Granite City area and forced hundreds of residents to evacuate their homes and prompted volunteers, emergency service personnel and businesses to sandbag to save their property.

Unfortunately, the situation is expected to continue throughout the day today.

Many residents said the flash flooding appeared to be worse than the Great Flood of 1993, when the Mississippi River threatened to overflow its banks but the Tri-Cities area was spared too much damage.

But just as they did in 1993, area residents and businesses banded together to help those whose homes and businesses were threatened by the quickly rising water.

Many streets were impassable at 8 a.m. Tuesday because water would not drain quickly enough. Other results of the heavy weather included sheds that were picked up and blown away by high winds and temporary electrical outages in limited areas.

Granite City Regional Wastewater Treatment Plant Superintendent Terry Kelahan said that a rain gauge at the plant, located on the Charles Melvin Price U.S. Army Support Center, recorded 3.8 inches of rainfall during a period of about an hour and a half.

"We had a heck of a lot of water," Kelahan said. "We had everything on. We had every tank in the plant open."

He said the plant was pumping water at a rate of about 275 million gallons a day. The plant's capacity is about 250 million gallons a day.

"We were pumping all the water in the city onto the depot Price Center. We were flooding the treatment plant just to keep our pumps going," Kelahan said.

A Granite City High School senior called City Hall to complain that she will have to take final exams now because flooding prevented her from attending school Tuesday.

Shang Greathouse, president of the Metro East Sanitary District, had headaches of his own.

"When you get that much rain, there just isn't anything you can do about it," Greathouse said.

MESD is charged with maintaining a system of drainage ditches, pump stations and levees that protect an area of more than 100 square miles in the American Bottoms.

Both Kelahan and Greathouse breathed a sigh of relief Tuesday afternoon when the weather broke, but only briefly. A brief respite in the deluge provided what turned out to be a false sense of security. When the rains resumed heavily and steadily Wednesday, and an additional 3 to 4 inches that fell on the already-saturated ground in the next 24 hours had nowhere to go, emergency personnel were called in.

## Alderman endorses incinerator

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

The city of Venice needs to consider a waste incinerator as a way to make money and provide a means to dispose of garbage, one alderman said.

At Tuesday's City Council meeting, Alderman Henry Fletcher urged the city council to examine the feasibility of either bringing an incinerator into the city or modifying the Union Electric power plant to burn trash.

The power plant is currently used by the company as an auxiliary generating facility. At past meetings the council has talked about the possibility of using it to burn trash, but no action has been taken.

"The council should get together and try to do

something about this," Fletcher said. "It would be money in our pockets."

He cited the rising costs of landfills, and other alternative trash disposal methods being considered by other area municipalities.

"We pay an arm and a leg for garbage disposal," he said. "If we could get in on that, we could make some money too."

"You can keep on putting trash into landfills, but if you burn it, you're through with it," Fletcher added.

Compared to emissions from other area industries, the potential pollution would be insignificant, Fletcher said.

"Those little ashes won't hurt anybody," he said.

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## Controversial curriculum considered

By Bob Slate  
Staff writer

School administrators in Granite City want to learn more about a controversial personal safety class for second graders before approving its use in a pilot program in all the district's elementary schools.

The half-hour of instruction is geared primarily at sex abuse education, although it touches on a number of other topics, according to Sarah Bradberry, director of the Southern Illinois University Counseling Services Department.

Bradberry wants to imple-

ment the program — which she insists is not a sex education curriculum — in Granite City, Madison and Bethalto schools. The program would cost the school districts nothing, she said.

"We realize this could be a very controversial issue. But the reality is that it is in society or schools today and something we need to be aware of," said Ron Stern, director of elementary education in Granite City.

Stern also emphasized that the program is "not sex education."

Bradberry said the program suggests to children the correct

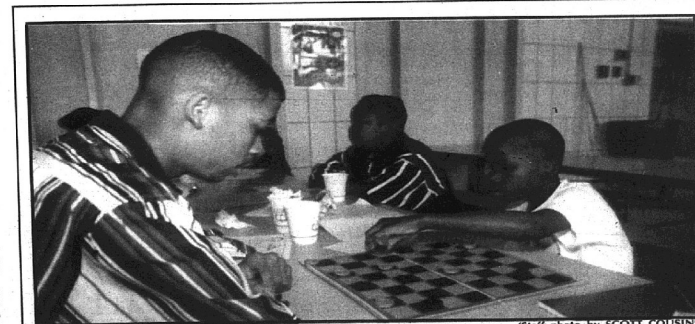
way to answer doors and the telephone and what to do when approached by a stranger. It also defines "private" body parts and tells children what to do if they are touched there.

Granite City School Board member Edin Rea said he is in favor of teaching children how to defend themselves, but said that the district should be cautious before moving too quickly with the program.

He said that many parents have been hurt in the past by adults "coaching" children into believing they have been sexually abused.

"I would like to learn a lot

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Mentor — Stephen Pruitt, a student at Madison High School, and Antonio Jackson, a student at Harris Elementary, play chess as part of a Big Brothers/Big Sisters program. See People Page for story.

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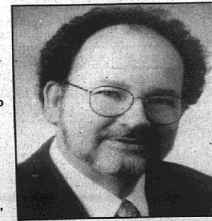
## Deaths

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## Salute

After 33 years of utilizing innovative and effective education techniques, Coolidge Junior High School teacher Ed Schroeder will retire at the end of the school year. Schroeder is best known across the country as recipient of the Disney Outstanding American Teacher award in 1991. He has also won the Illinois Distinguished Educator Award.

But Schroeder, who teaches English and gifted classes, is best known locally by the thousands of young minds he has impacted by utilizing sometimes unorthodox techniques — having students lie on their backs and stare at clouds, hiring a limousine driver to bring students to school and accepting telephone calls from celebrities.



Ed Schroeder

## Press-Record changes debut

If you're a regular reader of the Granite City Press-Record, you've undoubtedly noticed a few changes in today's edition.

We're debuting a newly redesigned masthead at the top of today's front page. We've added color, and the masthead will offer at-a-glance information to help readers find information on things like sports, people, schools and seniors inside.

You'll also notice a new "In the Press-Record" box at the lower left corner of the front page. The box was scheduled to include a weekend weather forecast from KSDK Channel 5 meteorologist John Fuller to help readers plan their weekends. However, the forecast was unavailable for this issue due to an extended power outage at the Journals' mainframe computer caused by the recent thunderstorms.

We're also adding four regular local features, which will rotate on our front page on a weekly basis. Today's edition includes a "Salute" to the efforts of a community volunteer or good Samaritan.

Other rotating front page features will be "Top Teen," which will showcase local students; "Faces," which will introduce readers to an everyday member of their community, be it a bank teller, bus driver or a clerk at City Hall; and "Best Bet," which will give readers the chance to vote for the area's best in numerous categories. The best teacher, best barber, or best sense of humor, are examples.

If you're a Press-Record reader, we'd like to hear your opinion of these changes, and any suggestions you might have to help us serve you better. Write us at 1815 Delmar, Granite City, IL 62040 or call Bob Slate at 877-7700.



## News in review

News in review provides a summary of some of the past week's stories. This column is designed for out-of-town readers who do not receive the Sunday and Wednesday Press-Record Journals.

### Balen pushes record check

Granite City School Superintendent Steve Balen is pushing for the creation and utilization of a national database for teachers' criminal records.

Such a system could prevent sexual abuse or other unfortunate incidents, Balen said.

"The teachers' relationship with the student — by the very nature of the job there is a higher order of trust. They act as a parent."

"And while incidents of teachers taking advantage of that trust are extremely rare, they do occur," Balen said.

### 3 charged in sting

Three people were cited for selling alcohol to a minor during a sting operation Wednesday evening by the Granite City Police Department.

Employees at National Supermarket, Schnucks Supermarket and Players Pub & Grill were all charged as a result of the operation, which utilized an under-age member of the police auxiliary.

### Discus hurler going to state

Granite City sophomore Stephanie Brandt will get to throw her weight around for the second straight year when she competes in the discus in this weekend's Class AA state meet at Eastern Illinois University.

Brandt, a standout discus thrower for the Lady Warriors, qualified for state by placing second in last Friday's Highland Sectional with a toss of 120 feet, 4 inches.

### Merf ready by April?

A Connecticut firm could have its "clean" materials recovery facility, known as a merf, open in Madison County by April 1996, a company executive told the County Board's Environmental Control Committee Thursday.

Resource Recovery Systems of Essex, Conn., continues to discuss terms of an agreement with the county to direct recyclables to the proposed plant.

"We can have it on line within seven to eight months of a notice to proceed," said John Schall, Resource Recovery vice president for development.

### 75 become U.S. citizens

Eighty-three years and half a world separated Victoria Alegre and Alexander Jim-Yong Schreiber. But on Friday the two shared a common bond — both became naturalized United States citizens.

Alegre, 85, of Granite City, and Schreiber, 2, of St. Jacob, were the oldest and youngest of 75 who took part in a special ceremony at the Gateway Center in Collinsville.

Alegre came to the ceremony with her daughters, Excy Basuel and Tessie Ayran, and son-in-law Paul Ayran, all of Granite City.

### Duck blamed for accident

A duck that wandered into the middle of Horseshoe Lake Road Monday morning is being blamed for a two-car accident that sent a Granite City man to the hospital for treatment of minor injuries.

"All I know is a duck came into the road, and stuff started happening," said 19-year-old Jonathan Brown of Collinsville, who escaped the accident without a scratch.

## Pontoon residents flooded out of homes

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

While Pontoon Beach residents forced from their homes left to find shelter, volunteers continued to come in to help with sandbagging and other necessary jobs Wednesday evening.

Near the Pontoon Beach Senior Citizens Center, where a temporary shelter was set up, Glen Carbon police officer Mark Foley was busy directing traffic. Foley said he volunteered to come down and help Pontoon Beach police, who had been busy

dealing with rising flood waters all day.

"We've had volunteers from Marine, Edwardsville, Granite, and Glen Carbon," said Marvin Ribbing, president of the Long Lake Fire Protection District. "Their spirit is terrific. The effort everybody is putting out is really nice."

In addition to floods, firefighters have had to deal with two structure fires and an automobile accident since Tuesday. Also, at about 4 p.m. Wednesday a person was reportedly struck by lightning in the Lake

Drive area.

Firefighters reported the victim was taken to the hospital, but additional information was unavailable.

Inside the senior center at about 8:30 p.m., about a dozen evacuees and several dogs rested, grabbed something to eat or waited for transportation to Grigsby Junior High School, where 50 cots had been prepared for the night. "Basically, they can come in and get warm, get dry, and have something hot to eat," volunteer Janet Barringer said. "We're

also giving them a place for their pets to stay."

She said about 35-45 people had come through the center, not counting sandbaggers and other volunteers they had fed.

The center was opened as a temporary shelter soon after the evacuation was announced.

At about 2 p.m., residents of Village Green Mobile Home Park, and the area of Breckenridge and Division streets from Pontoon Road to the Tanktown area were forced out.

Residents were evacuated under electricity and gas were shut off in the affected areas.

While most left, a few stayed behind. Rocky Newman, a Village Green resident, said he was staying put to guard against looters.

"I'm not leaving," he said. "If worse comes to worse I've got a boat."

Newman said the flooding was the worst he had ever seen in his 30 years in the area.

"I woke up this morning and we were under water, and the water was rising all day," he said. "We've had some (flooding) before, but we've never seen Pontoon, page 9A)

## Two judges bumped from bench

Two veterans of the bench will be relieved of associate judge duties next month after failing to get the nod from their peers.

Madison County Associate Judges Daniel Stack of Highland and Michael Meehan of Edwardsville were told Tuesday they will not be reappointed to another four-year term beginning July 1.

Neither Stack, a nine-year veteran of the bench, nor Meehan, an eight-year veteran, could be reached for comment Tuesday.

The Third Judicial Circuit's nine circuit judges recently cast secret ballots on reappointment of the 10 associate judges. The results, tallied by the Administrative Office of Illinois Courts in Springfield, were released Monday to Madison County Chief Judge Edward C. Ferguson.

Associate judges must receive three-fifths of the circuit judges' votes to be retained. Stack and Meehan will be relieved June 30 when their terms expire.

In a recent poll by the Illinois Bar Association, Stack and Meehan finished fifth and seventh, respectively, among the 10 associate judges in the circuit in meeting the overall requirements of office.

Ninety-three percent of the 224 lawyers polled circuitwide said Stack met the requirements. Eighty-eight percent, the statewide average in the poll, endorsed Meehan.

The circuit's newest judge, Ann Callis Rongey, 30, who was sworn in Feb. 3, scored the lowest rating in the poll — 54 percent. Only two downstate associate judges had overall ratings lower

than Rongey's.

Meehan, 43, was appointed to the bench in 1987. Chosen from among 16 applicants, Meehan received the low degree from the St. Louis University School of Law in 1976 and worked for the Callis and Hartman law firm in Granite City before his appointment.

He is in charge of the juvenile docket and has served as judge in the family division.

Stack, 44, was appointed in 1988. Stack, who was selected from among nine attorneys, graduated from the St. Louis University Law School and had his own practice in Highland for several years. He was also employed by the U.S. Attorney's Office and the Illinois Attorney General before taking a seat on the bench.

He handles traffic, misdemeanor and civil cases and has worked in the family division. Earlier this year, a group of Madison County black leaders lobbied for the appointment of Assistant State's Attorney Duane Bailey as associate judge. The group criticized the choice of Rongey over Bailey, charging that she won the position because of the political clout wielded by her father, personal injury attorney Lance Callis of Granite City.

— From the Alton Telegraph

## Man charged after beer bottle attack

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

A Madison man has been charged with aggravated battery after he allegedly hit another man with a beer bottle early Sunday in front of a market in Venice.

The victim, also a Madison resident, received a severe cut on his forehead. Linroy "Spony" Sanford, 36, of the 1200 block of Bissell in Madison, was charged Tuesday by the Madison County State's Attorney's office. He is in custody at the Madison County jail. Bond was set at \$100,000.

According to Venice police, Sanford has an extensive criminal record, including several convictions for armed robbery.

Police were notified of the attack after the victim at St. Elizabeth Medical Center's emergency room.

According to witnesses, the two men were arguing in front of Adam's Market, 1001 Logan St., at about 6:30 a.m. when Sanford allegedly picked a 40-ounce beer bottle off the shelf and struck the victim on the left side of the head.

One witness said the two had been arguing for

about 10 minutes before the attack, and continued arguing after Sanford allegedly struck the victim. The two continued to argue until the witness advised the victim to leave and seek medical attention.

The victim, who was treated and released at SEMC, suffered a severe cut to his cheek.

The victim said he had just finished breakfast when Sanford approached him and began arguing. The victim also said he thought they were both joking — with each other until he was hit by the bottle.

In the past few months, the Venice City Council has been considering a ban on the type of large beer bottle used in the attack.

The proposal, which has not been brought to the City Council for a vote, would ban beer and malt liquor bottles 22 ounces or larger.

During discussion on the proposed ban, Alderman Victor Valentine, who suggested the ban, said one of the reasons is the danger such large bottles pose when broken in the streets or sidewalks and when used as weapons.

## Woman sentenced to three years for hit-and-run killing

By Bob Slat  
Staff writer

A 33-year-old Granite City woman was sentenced to three years in jail Tuesday for leaving the scene of an accident where she struck and killed a 13-year-old boy with her car.

Coleman, of the 100 block of Briarcliff, pleaded guilty in November to leaving the scene of the March 8, 1994 accident on Highway 3 at Rock Road where Joseph Browning was killed.

Browning was crossing the highway when Coleman struck him with her car. Browning's brother Chad, 16, and two friends witnessed the accident. Police arrested Coleman the next day at her home.

Browning's mother, Karen, said that Coleman sobbed and apologized after the sentence was read, but that she believes Coleman deserved to serve time.

"It took a lot of weight off my shoulders," she said. "At least she's off the streets where she won't hurt someone else," Karen Browning said.

"She had several chances to straighten up her act. She's been on probation before. She said she thought she had hit a dog. But she didn't even stop," Karen Browning said.

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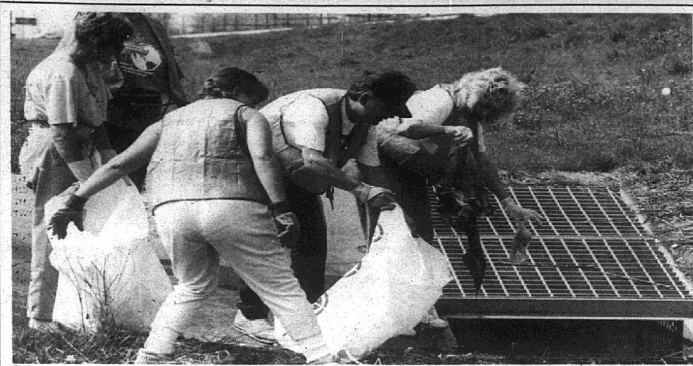
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**Clean-up crew** — Volunteers from Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus pick up trash along Illinois 203 during the Tri-City Chamber of Commerce's annual Stash the Trash clean-up contest. Crew members include, from left, Dorothy Anderson, instructional support assistant; June Lanter, GCC Business Office chief clerk; Doug Roy, Industrial Training Center instructor; and his wife, Linda, a BAC graduate and former employee.

(BAC photo by DAVID TERRY)

## State says wells tainted

Bacteria contaminated 30 percent of the private wells sampled in Madison County, according to a review by the Illinois Department of Public Health.

Of samples sent to the department for testing in the last nine years, 30.9 percent in Madison County were found to contain coliform bacteria, the department announced Monday.

It's the kind of bacteria you'd find in a puddle of water on a street corner," department spokesman Tom Schafer said, noting that healthy individuals may feel no lasting ill effects from contaminated water.

Statewide, 27 percent of the nearly 130,000 samples were contaminated with the bacteria that can cause diarrhea, vomiting and nausea.

"Although there does not appear to be an imminent health threat to the more than 1 million people in Illinois who rely on private wells for their water, bacteria can cause serious health risks," said Dr. John Lumpkin, state public health director, Saturday.

Lumpkin said infants and people with weakened immune systems, such as cancer and AIDS patients, are particularly at risk from the bacteria.

Lumpkin urged private well owners to have their water tested annually.

To find out about testing well owners can call the department's toll-free water well hot line, (800) 545-2220, TDD (800) 547-0466.

— From the Alton Telegraph

## Leaf control loses out in House

Legislation to prod local governments into controlling leaf burning went up in smoke in a House committee Monday.

After earlier passing the Senate on a 37-15 vote, the bill fell apart in the House Agriculture Committee, where it failed on a 21-10 vote.

Godfrey resident Brad Beck, who spent several weeks lobbying for the legislation, said Monday he was disappointed.

"It's been a real learning experience for me," he said. Beck said he thought the issue was probably dead for the spring legislative session, "but I'll be back in October," he said.

He said he now plans to pursue further efforts to get Godfrey and Alton to pass ordinances restricting leaf burning and will continue to press a complaint under the federal Americans with Disabilities Act.

Beck's son, who lives in Godfrey and attends school in Alton, has suffered severe asthmatic attacks his father blames on leaf-burning.

The House sponsor of the bill, Rep. Andrea Moore, R-Libertyville, said she was confident there were enough votes in the full House to pass the bill but the opposition of the Illinois Farm Bureau doomed it.

— From the Alton Telegraph

## Garbage collection fee in Venice could be finalized next week

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Venice aldermen will meet next week to work out the specifics of an ordinance establishing a garbage collection fee.

That fee is considered instrumental in the city's attempt to obtain a new garbage truck.

At Tuesday's city council meeting, Alderman John Ervin, chairman of the council's Street and Alley Committee, set a meeting for 7 p.m. Wednesday, May 24, at the Venice Senior Citizens Center.

At its last meeting, the council discussed using a monthly collection fee to pay for new vehicles, specifically garbage trucks and

police cars. The council also agreed to look at two used trucks. The trucks would have cost about \$14,000 each.

Ervin said Tuesday that city officials looked at the trucks that day and neither would be acceptable. That means the city's only remaining option is to consider purchasing a new truck, which will cost as much as \$86,000.

The city's current garbage truck is unusable, and according to Mayor Tyrone Echols, probably not worth repairing. The city is now using demonstration models from companies interested in selling a truck to the city.

Once the city decides what truck to buy, Ervin said it could probably arrange some kind of a lease agreement until the truck is

delivered.

He also said the council had to act quickly.

"We're holding our own, but we've got to make a move," Ervin said. "It's definitely not a new truck line."

Ervin said the council still has to decide how large a fee to charge. At its last meeting, council members agreed a monthly fee of \$5-\$10 would be feasible.

In other business, the council approved a resolution agreeing to let the Madison County Housing Authority participate in a comprehensive grant program.

City Attorney Casper Nighossian said the resolution was just minor bit of housekeeping required by the county.

### Warrants

Warrants issued in Madison County, Illinois, during the week of May 12 include:

— Felicia L. Prothro, 27, of Venice, unlawful possession of a weapon by a felon. Bail \$50,000.

— Torrey D. Allen, 17, of Edwardsville, unlawful possession of a controlled substance with intent to distribute. Bail \$80,000.

— Charles O. Hensley, 49, of Madison, theft of labor or services or use of property. Bail \$15,000.

— Johnny Gates, 20, of Madison, unlawful possession of a weapon by a felon. Bail \$75,000.

— Alan S. Hozian, 23, of Granite City, residential burglary. Bail \$80,000.

— James C. Wimberly, 42, of Venice, retail theft under \$150, second subsequent offense. Bail \$50,000.

By Doris Hanrahan  
Staff writer

Ss. Peter and Paul Catholic School has named a member of its own teaching staff to the post of principal.

The Rev. Robert Morris, pastor of the parish, recently made the announcement to faculty and staff.

Catherine McGarrahan, in her fourth year as an eighth-grade teacher at the school, won out over five finalists interviewed by the Rev. Morris.

McGarrahan will be the first lay principal to lead the school in its 111 years of existence. The position has always been held by Ursuline Sisters of the Roman Union.

"I'm extremely pleased, and extremely happy I can help the

school continue in the tradition it has always had, one of education and the Catholic identity," McGarrahan said.

"I have a comfort level here. I know the staff and procedures," she said. "It will be an easier transition than it would be for someone brand new. I'm not taking it lightly, though. I have a lot to learn."

McGarrahan has ten years' teaching experience behind her. Before coming to Ss. Peter and Paul, she taught grades four, five and six in The Montessori School in Granite City for three years.

She also taught eighth grade from 1976-79 at what is now Holy Family School in Granite City. Her background includes 10 years in the business world as an executive secretary as well.

The principal-elect has a master's degree in education from Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville. Her bachelor's degree is from St. Francis College in Fort Wayne, Ind.

McGarrahan has lived in Granite City for 20 years with her husband, Kevin, a data analyst for the Federal Reserve Bank of St. Louis. They have a son, Andrew, 10, a fourth grader at Ss. Peter and Paul.

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Ss. Peter and Paul principal

gifts," she said.

Sister Bernadette will start classes at Saint Louis University Aug. 28. She will spend the next year in the Aquinas Institute Sabbatical Program, followed by a year of graduate courses in

theology and pastoral care, in preparation for work in a hospice, nursing home or hospital.

"I've enjoyed this, but to have a whole new career ahead is really exciting," she said.

## Grooms, 23, to compete in pageant

She's smart, talented and beautiful.

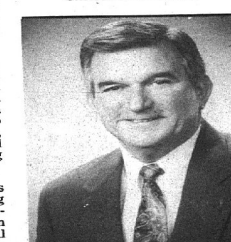
Christina Grooms of Granite City will compete in the American Miss Illinois Pageant this weekend in Champaign.

Grooms, 23, is a college student with a double major in mass communications and broadcast journalism and a minor in education. She is also a full-time employee of the Casino Queen in East St. Louis, which, along with Bindy's Bar and Grill in Granite City, is sponsoring her participation in the pageant.

During the pageant, Grooms will be competing in evening gown, swimsuit, freestyle runway modeling, cover girl search and portfolio categories. She will sing the Diane Schurr jazz song, "Touch of Your Love," in the talent competition.



Christina Grooms



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## THE LAW AND YOU

By RICK REED  
Attorney At Law

When a person is injured as a result of someone else's negligence, he will eventually have to decide whether he wishes to settle the case or take it to trial. The insurance company providing coverage for the defendant will often make an offer in a given case after the plaintiff is finished treating with the doctor. Whether an injured person accepts the offer of settlement or chooses to have a jury decide the matter depends upon the facts in each particular case.

Let's assume a plaintiff is injured in an automobile accident when the defendant rear ends his automobile. The plaintiff is hospitalized for a few days with neck and back injuries and later receives physical therapy on an outpatient basis. His total medical bills are in excess of \$3,500, and he has \$1,500 in lost wages. After reviewing the case, the insurance carrier offers the plaintiff a settlement of \$12,000.

The plaintiff has to decide whether to accept this settlement offer or take the case to trial. What are the pros and cons of settling a case in a situation such as this? If the injured party decides to settle, one advantage will be that he will receive money immediately. Many cases that go to trial often take two to three years to be

resolved. Another advantage to settling is that the plaintiff will not have to expend monies for court costs and depositions. Finally, many injured parties do not relish the prospect of going to court and facing the uncertainties of a jury trial.

The primary advantage to taking a case to trial is that juries are often more generous with an injured party than are insurance companies. What factors should the plaintiff consider when deciding what course of action to take?

One consideration is where the suit would be brought. Certain jurisdictions are traditionally a better forum for plaintiffs than are others. Another factor is whether the defendant is totally at fault in the accident or whether the plaintiff was also negligent. Illinois is a comparative negligence state, and a jury's verdict will be reduced based on the negligence attributed to the plaintiff. A further question to consider is whether the injuries sustained by the plaintiff are permanent in nature. In addition, the plaintiff must consider the amount of the offer and decide whether he is willing to wait two to three years to get to trial.

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# Granite

## Letters to the editor

### One vote for a clean merf

TO THE EDITOR:  
I am a Granite City resident who has returned "home" after living in other parts of the country and world.

I am writing to you to express my concerns about the recycling options that are currently being debated.

I would first like to give you a brief history of where I've lived and how each place handled the recycling issue.

In 1976, I left Granite City South High School to attend Northern Illinois University in DeKalb. At that time, the university offered recycling services if you dropped off your materials yourself. By the time I left, 10 years later, the town offered curbside pickup, once a month.

I then moved to New Haven, Conn., where I paid to have a private recycling company pick up my paper, glass, cardboard and cans once a month. Currently, the city offers curbside pickup of assorted materials. I then moved to go to graduate school in Chicago. There I drove across town to drop off my materials. For example, the park district took back all kinds of plastic and recycled it into playground materials.

I then went to Holland on a Fulbright Scholarship. I lived there for three and a half years. There they have assorted services: some cities offer curbside pickup of all recyclables, others have metal bins for glass and paper. The bins were spread all over the cities, often located near neighborhood grocery stores. So, if I were to do my shopping, it was very convenient to take my glass and paper in a nylon bag, drop it off then do my shopping using this same nylon bag for my groceries. When I left, they were also experimenting with biodegradable garbage recycling. They gave residents a Bio-can to contain all biodegradable materials. Then they picked these up once a month.

In Germany, one can buy an item at a store and return all packaging (including plastic, cardboard, etc.) right then if they choose. They simply take it from being tampered with but gives the job of recycling back to the manufacturer.

Upon returning to Granite City late last year, I was deeply disappointed to find minimal recycling services. I wondered, "Where has Granite City been for the last 15 years? Haven't they problems with their own dump sites filling up? When I saw recycling programs starting up all over the country and world, it seems somehow Granite was left behind. It took me a while to motivate some long-needed action.

Through the years, I have encouraged and helped my mother to recycle. Even though this meant driving to St. Louis to drop off her materials. Now, in fairness, I know that some parts of Granite enjoy recycling services, and I now transport my materials to someone else's house, because they feel people will not help out and separate their garbage. Well, I have to tell you that I too was surprised when my father told me that this would be the last to do so, said that he would separate his recyclables if asked. But, presently, no one is asking him, so what can he do?

The residents will eventually change their ways. Many have heard about the rising problems with the environment and over-filled landfills. For those who at first are not willing, when they see their neighbors doing it, I think they too will come around. And the important thing that we all have to realize is that this is not only a governmental responsibility, but a personal responsibility. We all are using resources every moment and need to take proper action to preserve what we can.

I am disappointed that the city officials are mostly concerned with costs of the programs. A more important issue is that the public needs to be an active part and, to use someone else's words, by "acting locally we will be thinking globally. Clean merf is more efficient, cleaner and, perhaps most importantly, it gets everyone involved.

JOE GRANITE  
Granite City

### ACT has reduced costs

TO THE EDITOR:

A recent letter published in the Granite City Press-Record entitled "Bureaucracy spending fast" contained a significant amount of misinformation and, more importantly, a misunderstanding of the services, quality and cost of the Agency for Community Transit Inc. ACT is a private, not-for-profit corporation established in 1984 to operate door-to-door service for the elderly and disabled residents of Madison County. Prior to the creation of ACT, there was no countywide door-to-door service available. The elderly and disabled residents had to depend on the availability of their friends, neighbors and family members to make necessary and sometimes life-sustaining trips.

In September 1984, then managing director Rudy Johnson recommended to the Board of Madison County Transit (MCT) that it contract with ACT for this service. The door-to-door service began Jan. 2, 1985. Since its inception, ACT has provided more than one million door-to-door trips.

Following Rudy Johnson's departure in 1988, MCT requested that the executive director of ACT assume the additional responsibility of managing the district. At that time, I served as the executive director of ACT. In the summer of 1988, the district requested that ACT also provide intra-city service to the general public. These fixed-route routes were referred to as the "shuttles" and bear the MCT logo. Local fares on the shuttles are maintained by the district at 25 cents, the lowest in the nation. Today, 14 shuttle routes attract more than 1.2 million passengers annually throughout 25 communities in Madison County. The shuttle network's unique application of low-floor, low-fare service is nationally recognized as one of the most innovative small bus systems in the country.

According to RFA statistics, the unit cost of these services is 57 percent of the national average for similar size transit properties. Overall, the ACT-managed district lowered the unit cost of all fixed-route services funded by the district, including express bus service purchased from Bi-State, from \$66.54 per revenue hour in 1987 to \$41 per revenue hour in 1994.

Many letters also incorrectly implied that, based on information from a 1993 report filed with the state of Illinois, the salaries of administrative personnel of ACT are significantly higher than they actually are. The figure of administrative salaries is not only salaries, but also fringe benefits paid by the employer. Without a doubt, the entire ACT is the finest in the nation, from the board members who serve without compensation to the drivers, mechanics, dispatchers, bus cleaners and secretaries.

The letter to the editor suggested that the district had formed an additional costly bureaucracy, duplicating the services of private companies as well as Bi-State. In fact, the district, through ACT, introduced competition, improved quality, reduced costs and expanded services to Madison County residents.

JERRY KANE  
Executive Director, MCT

### More guns, not more deaths

TO THE EDITOR:

This letter is in response to Terrance Gainer's letter on April 27 titled "More guns, more deaths."

Many states and cities now offer permits to carry. In the majority of these areas, crime rates and resulting deaths have actually decreased. Some of the highest crime and murder rates are in cities like New York and Washington, D.C., which forbid personal firearm ownership. Florida is a prime example of a state in which crime and resulting injuries and deaths are down since the implementation of permits to carry.

Statistics show that properly certified citizens allowed to carry concealed weapons actually does contribute to a safe society.

VICTOR SCHLOSSER  
Collinsville



## Student's murder shocks region

Sorrow. Frustration. Rage. The same emotions stirred by the 167-fatality Oklahoma City bombing April 19 were felt again May 5 when a Washington University student, Melissa Aptman, 22, was kidnapped and killed.

A fellow student was kidnapped and shot three times in the face but survived. She told of their vehicle being "carjacked" by two young men. She was raped and several shots were fired. The men killed one student and thought they had killed the other victim.

The killers said "rich" people like the two students, driving an expensive car, were the reason why the brutal pair could not find jobs and compete for the good life.

Even when a child is subjected to deprivation and abuse, he or she must be held responsible for all actions taken as an adult and must be punished if convicted. Beyond that, it can be said that one's environment can have an impact on one's future life, for good or bad.

Some react positively to hardship and try to achieve worthy goals. Some do not; they become self-destructive and insensitive to the rights of others to life and happiness.

The issue of individual responsibility was explored in a Public Television miniseries last week.



Bill Winter

"The Way West" described the almost inevitable clashes between pioneer settlers who "civilized" the western United States and the desires of American Indians to retain their centuries-old practices of ranging far and wide, living off the land to sustain their families and tribes.

Although barbaric acts were committed by both sides, Indians and U.S. soldiers, it is perhaps understandable why Native Americans fought the government. In some cases, they were resisting invaders who made it difficult for Indians to hunt, fish and grow crops.

In the May 5 tragedy, much has been made of the contrast between the site of the murder, the Metro East area, and the site of the abduction, a restaurant in a relatively well-to-do area near Forest Park in St. Louis. Miss Aptman was killed and left in Jones Park, East St. Louis, and the other young woman was shot and left in Washington Park.

The geographic reverse also

happens, of course. A wife and mother, on her way home from her job as a dancer in St. Clair County, was killed earlier this year when someone dropped a chunk of concrete onto her auto as it passed beneath a St. Louis highway overpass.

But the point remains that there is a sharp difference between the income level and crime frequency in East St. Louis and parts of St. Louis, on the one hand, and the Washington University-Forest Park area, on the other hand.

East St. Louis has been called the chief deterrent to the image and growth prospects of the Metro East area. East St. Louis and portions of St. Louis can be viewed as a deterrent to the future of the entire bi-state St. Louis metro area, which is drifting behind once-smaller cities in Florida, Texas, California and elsewhere.

Many good things happen in East St. Louis and St. Louis, and many good people live there. But there are bleak neighborhoods where youngsters face early death and are confronted by difficult activity and career choices.

Some city staffs are undermanned and ill-equipped, schools and colleges face problems, industries have moved and various well-meaning efforts have failed to stem severe negative trends.

As this was being written, there had been one arrest. Of course, even if the murder is solved and the criminals are sentenced, it will never be an adequate resolution.

We have no easy, instant solutions to offer. But there clearly is a need for remedial action in impoverished areas to be given a much higher priority by people of all walks of life throughout the entire metropolitan area.

Law enforcement and the public lost a true friend May 9 with the death of Emil Toffant, 80.

A skilled and honest officer, he advanced from the Madison city police to the Illinois state police, became a district commander, set up a detective bureau within the state police, and led the investigation of the unsolved murder of one of U.S. Senator Charles Percy's twin daughters at the Percy home.

Toffant capped off his long career by serving admirably as Madison County sheriff. In his spare time, he also had served as a major-league baseball scout.

Emil was awarded 41 commendations and was nationally known as an effective force of organized crime, vice and illegal gambling. He will long be remembered for his ability, hard work and integrity.

## Boys of getting older are few, far between

During a recent conversation with three women friends, I was paid what I assume must have been meant as a compliment by a young (eavesdropping) male acquaintance.

Jean (of my own generation, or close to it) and I had been bemoaning the fact that although we'd both started turning gray with time back, our hair has refused to become totally white and we both remain salt-and-pepper.

At this juncture, the young guy interrupted with the comment: "Oh, don't worry about it, Carol. I've always liked your hair the way it is, it reminds me of a Chia pet."

"A Chia pet? You mean green?" I asked. "No, no, I mean, you know, sorta... uh, sorta organic!" At least, his comment was highly original. I'm never certain exactly how we seniors are viewed by the freshmen. My son frequently refers to me, publicly and (I trust) in jest, as "that senile old lady" — as in, "Don't you wonder if that senile old lady ever going to learn to park properly?"

My grandsons appear to regard me with a sort of amused indulgence, but at least it's affectionate. And they do converse with me, seriously, about matters of actual importance, never treating me as though I were emerging from the mists of antiquity.

We all adjust to our own aging



Carol Clarkin

and to that of our peers, especially if we see them on a regular basis, but it comes as a shock when we meet, after a long period of time, someone we knew when we were both much younger.

Or hear that someone, not necessarily anyone we knew, who, in our own mind, remains frozen in time, has suddenly become middle-aged or has joined the ranks of the seniors.

Thus, I was startled a week or so ago to learn that young Steve Caughen had just celebrated his 50th birthday. He was what, 16 or 17, when we first saw him ride?

Unfortunately, some good advice from other seniors, a few years older than we, came too late to do us much good. Certainly, I wish I'd known long ago what the 87-year-old Katherine Hepburn suggested.

"If you're given a choice between money and sex appeal, take the money. As you get older, it will become your sex appeal."

I wish I'd known those things when I was younger. Now I find myself agreeing with Paul

Newman, recently blowing out 70 candles but still No. 1 on my Hunk Hall of Fame list, when he told Newsweek: "I can't think of anything that gets better with aging. I'm not mellow, I'm not

less angry, I'm not less self-critical, I'm not less tenacious. Maybe the best part is that your liver can't handle those beers at noon anymore."

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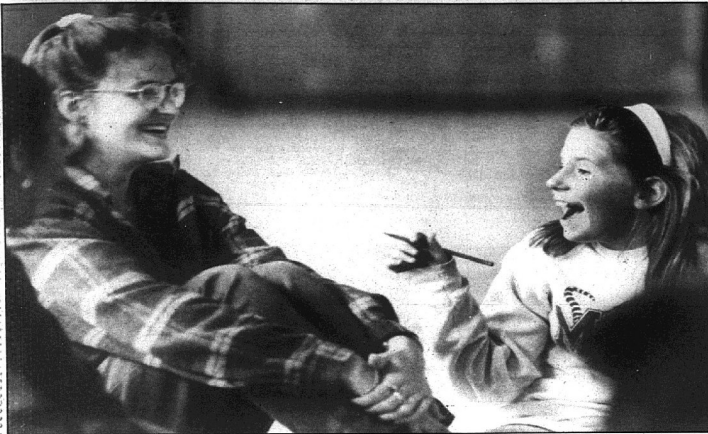
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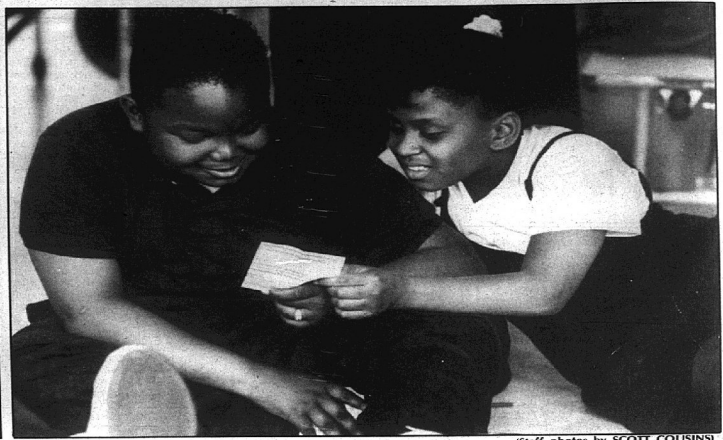
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# People



Laura Peterson, left, and Nena Szerzinski share a joke during a game.



James Carter and Neikeisha Dandridge look over a sheet of paper during a game.

(Staff photos by SCOTT COUSINS)

## 'Everybody needs a friend'

# Youths get big brothers, sisters

By Scott Cousins  
Staff writer

Nena Szerzinski says it's hard to live in a house full of boys, and it's nice to have a big sister to talk to.

For Nena, a fourth-grader at Harris Elementary School in Madison, that big sister is Laura Peterson.

The two are participants in a mentoring program using high school students to provide role models for elementary school students in the Madison School District. The "bigs" go to the school once a week and spend time with the "littles." They play games, have refreshments, and then either talk or do homework together.

"It's cool," Nena said. "I've only got boys at my house, and I don't like them. The only woman I've got in my house is my mom."

Her brothers are 16 and 19.

Laura is also from a no-sister family.

"It's a really good experience because I don't have any sisters or little siblings at home so I'm really interested in coming and meeting a little sister," she said. "I've never been around nine- and ten-year-olds. She's a very sweet girl and I'm very interested in all the things she likes to do."

The program started in March, and is funded through a United Way grant, according to program sponsor Pat

McDermott, drug and alcohol abuse prevention coordinator for Madison High School.

The high school students were recommended by their teachers, and trained by Big Brothers Big Sisters of Southwestern Illinois.

Karen Reeb, a case manager for Big Brothers Big Sisters, said the project has worked out well.

"It's a great program," she said. "It allows the high school students to be a mentor to the younger students, and just be a friend."

"Everybody needs a friend," Reeb said. "A lot of the students come from only child families, and they don't have the brother or the sister to look up to."

The program is funded through a grant by the United Way, which pays for refreshments and two field trips during the summer.

Lela Prinze, a social worker for the school district, said in one month the program has had a positive effect.

"I'm here on two other days, and they are always asking about the mentors," she said. "They write little notes for them."

Prinze said she has also seen some positive changes in the way some of the "littles" are in class.

"There is one girl who had a real low

self-esteem," Prinze said. "The 'big' has been giving her some positive strokes in terms of how she looks, and I've noticed she seems to have a better attitude."

She said the district hopes to expand the program next year.

"Big" Tenika Jones said it is easier for the "littles" to talk to them.

"Some little kids don't have a big brother or sister, and they need somebody to look up to," she said. "They need people to talk to because kids can't really talk to their parents."

"We may be older but we're kind of on their level," she said. "We were little kids once."

Her "little," Neikeisha Dandridge, said the program was "great."

"Because for most people at home, mom and dad are not around and it's nice to have a big sister to talk to," Neikeisha said.

She added that she likes to talk about school, home, and where they will go for their summer field trips. Neikeisha is hoping for Six Flags Over Mid-America and Raging Rivers water park in Grafton.

Stephen Pruitt has two "littles," Antonio Jackson and James Carter.

"It's a nice experience to meet and help kids who really need someone to talk to," Pruitt said. "I'm learning something and the boys are learning something too."



Karen Reeb, a case manager for Big Brothers/Big Sisters of Southwest Illinois, helps Antonio Jackson.



"Bigs" and "Littles" play a game at Harris School.



Antonio Jackson, Stephen Pruitt and James Carter watch as others play games.

## St. Elizabeth holds Rite of Confirmation

Kathy Dohnal covers the Madison-Venice scene for the Press-Record Journal. Articles can be sent to 2108 Lynch or she can be contacted at 797-3077.

The following is a recipe submitted by Mary Lou Dohnal for the weekly recipe swap:

**Tamale Chili Cheese Dip**  
1 can tamales, smashed  
1 lb. Velveeta cheese  
1 can chili (without beans)  
1 can or jar picante sauce  
Combine ingredients. Melt slowly in crockpot. Serve with tortilla chips.

St. Mary's Activities Committee met May 10 at the church rectory. In attendance

were Goldie Rozycke, Dolores Brunick, Norman Marler, Sister Bernadette Meyer, Janet Werner and Norma Lesko.

Plans for the annual picnic to be held Sept. 15, 16 and 17 were discussed. A different format will be used this year due to the deterioration of the school building.

The next meeting will be held Wednesday, June 21.

The Polish Hall Dancers performed May 11 for the Ladies Division of the Chamber of Commerce at the mother and child banquet held at the Eagles home in Granite City. President Robin Thomas introduced the

dance instructor, Lisa Bush. Performing were Andrew and Carrie Bisto, Courtney Dohnal, Stephanie Dohnal, Becky Guenther, David Hartwick, Frank Holmes, Ashley Krawiecki, Brittany Kult, Vanessa Tutka and Chris Jogadka.

The Rite of Confirmation was celebrated at St. Elizabeth Catholic Church in Granite City May 13. Celebrants were the Most Rev. Daniel L. Ryan, bishop of the Springfield Diocese; the Rev. Robert DeGrand and the Rev. Frances Tebenack.

The 1994-95 confirmation class

included Jason Abbott, Nicholas Zotti, Andrea Bukovac, Kenneth Cuyar, Kimberly Cuyar, Elizabeth Dittman, Linda Dohnal, Barbara Dorris, Cookie Fields, Amy Gaskie, Candice Johnson, Danny Kamadulski, Ruth Koliste, Tyler Kulasza, Catherine Layloff, Kyle Wilmeyer, Natasha Mangiaracino, Julie Mills, Felicia Mohsen, Steven Williams, Kevin Whiteside, Adam Vrabec, Katherine Thornton, Kristin Stovall, Blake Smith, Alfred Pace, Angela Perdue, Kevin Schmidt and Lisa Sabol.

A reception was held in the school cafeteria after the Mass.

## Dunham featured in magazine

An interview with human rights activist, modern dance expert and retired humanities professor Katherine Dunham will be the cover story of the next SIUE English department's literary review, *Drumvoices Revue: A Confluence of Literary, Cultural and Vision Arts* is published twice a year by Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville and the Eugene B. Redmond Writers Club of East St. Louis.

Redmond, the review editor, an SIUE English professor and a former student of Dunham, conducted the interview and wrote the article. "It was exciting to see her and talk with her again," Redmond said. "I think readers will enjoy the interview about this fascinating artist."

The *Drumvoices Revue*, a double issue, will be available in June and includes contributors from across the United States and Denmark, Haiti, South Africa and the West Indies. The issue will contain features, poetry, fiction, journals, interviews, criticism and photos.

The issue will cost \$10. To get a copy, send a check or money order to Editor, *Drumvoices Revue*, Department of English Language and Literature, SIUE, Edwardsville IL 62026-1431. For more information, call 692-2060.

— From the Alton Telegraph



## Obituaries



## Anna Michels

Anna M. (Gruber) Michels, 91, of Granite City, died at 3:40 p.m. Wednesday, May 17, 1995, at her residence. She was born March 6, 1904, in Miesbach, Bavaria, Southern Germany, and had been a resident of Granite City since 1922.

Co-owner of Joe Michels Men's Shop for 38 years prior to her retirement in 1989, she was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Granite City, Home-Makers Extension Association in Granite City, Holy Family Young at Heart and Greater Beneficial Union and a charter member of St. Elizabeth Hospital Auxiliary.

Survivors include two daughters, Josephine Uram of Granite City and Milli Stoffer of Greeley, Colo.

She was preceded in death by her husband, Joseph H. Michels, who died June 2, 1979, two brothers, Joseph and Frank Gruber, and one sister, Mathilda Brutscher.

Arrangements are pending with Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, 676-4321.



## William Schnefke

William 'Bill' Schnefke, 65, of Granite City, died at 1:40 p.m. Tuesday, May 16, 1995, at his residence, following a two-year illness. He was born Jan. 6, 1930, in St. Louis and had been a resident of Granite City for 44 years.

A custodian with Coolidge Junior High School in Granite City for 22 years prior to his retirement in 1983, he was a member of Holy Family Catholic Church in Granite City and

Survivors include his wife, Irene (Fischer) Schnefke, whom he married Jan. 20, 1961; one son, William C. Schnefke III of St. Louis; two daughters, Margaret Shibley and Mary Ellen Davis, both of Granite City; one brother, Donald Schnefke of Granite City; and three grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, William and Bessie E. (Dodge) Schnefke; one brother, Charles Schnefke; and two sisters, Deanna Schnefke and Mary Jane Weulle.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 3950 Maryville Road, Granite City, where a prayer service will be held at 6:30 p.m. today.

Services are at 10 a.m. Friday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2606 Washington Ave., Granite City, with the Rev. Thomas Wise officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon.

Memorials are requested for the Hospice of Madison County, Holy Family School or the Mayor's Office.

Julia Buckels

Julia Dent Buckels, 73, of Eagle Park, died Saturday, May 13, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center. She was born in Tchula, Miss.

Mrs. Buckels was employed with K Mart.

Survivors include one son, Robert Foster of Eagle Park; one daughter, Gladys Collins of St. Louis; and 10 grandchildren.

Services were held Wednesday at Quinn Chapel AME Church, Eagle Park, with the Rev. Lee Pittman officiating. Burial was in Sunset Gardens of Memory, Millstadt.

Arrangements were handled by Officer Funeral Home, East St. Louis.

Don Gay

Don Letty Gay, 72, of Granite City, died at 9:20 a.m. Wednesday, May 17, 1995, at St. Elizabeth Medical Center, following a lengthy illness. He was born Aug. 27, 1922, in Souder, Mo.

A custodian with the Granite City Unit School District 9 prior to his retirement in 1984, he was a member of City Temple Assembly of God in Granite City and a

Worshiper at many veterans' services.

Survivors include his wife, Betty Sue (Fisk) Gay, whom he married in October 1958; four sons, Doin O'Neill, Larry Gay of Avastu, Mo., Robert Dale Gay of Fairgrove, Mo., Randy Wayne Gay of Granite City and Richard Paul Gay of Lamoni, Iowa; one daughter, Kathy Charest of White Bear Lake, Minn.; one stepson, Jim W. Rice of St. Louis; two stepdaughters, Shirley L. Cindy Burkett of Granite City and Kathy Sue Hartmann of Staunton; one brother, Warren A. Gay of Phoenix, Ariz.; four sisters, Vivian Allen and Bea Brandenburg, both of Ozark, Mo., Grace Mills of Columbia, Mo., and Louise Sykes of Vancouver, Wash.; 16 grandchildren; and four great-grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his parents, Roy and Ethel Dora (Gardner) Gay.

Visitation is from 5 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Irwin Chapel, 3950 Maryville Road, Granite City.

Services are at 9:30 a.m. Friday at City Temple Assembly of God, 4751 Maryville Road, Granite City, with the Rev. Mike Pappas officiating. Burial will be in Jefferson Barracks National Cemetery, St. Louis County.

Memorials are requested for City Temple Assembly of God.

Lloyd Parker

Lloyd Perry Parker, 25, of Normandy, Mo., died Saturday, May 13, 1995, in East St. Louis. He was born in St. Louis.

Mr. Parker was a carpenter.

Survivors include two stepsons, Wayne Kelly of Granite City and Chester Robert Kelly of South Carolina; one sister, Helen M. Heinemann of Granite City; and many grandchildren and great-grandchildren.

She was preceded in death by her first husband, Chester Kelly, who died in 1961; her second husband, John Kelly, her parents, Charles and Elizabeth (Mollenbrock) Heinemann; one brother, Leo Heinemann; and one sister, Margaret Heinemann.

Visitation is from 4 to 8 p.m. today, Thursday, at Thomas Memorial Mortuary, 2205 Pontoon Road, Granite City, where a wake service will be held at 6:30 p.m. today.

Services are at 11 a.m. Friday at Holy Family Catholic Church, 2606 Washington Ave., Granite City, with the Rev. Thomas Wise officiating. Burial will be in Calvary Cemetery, Glen Carbon.

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KMOV	(4) Brady Bunch									Love Con.	Larry Sh. (in Shop)	Goats (S)
KSDR	(5) Hootie's: His Last Days									Football Sh. (in Shop)	Life Line	John S.
KSLR	(6) K9: The Dog Patrol									Life Line	Life Line	John S.
KDSE	(6) Beverly Hills, 90210	P.S. Yes	7:00	7:30	8:00	8:30	9:00	9:30	10:00	10:30	11:00	11:30
KETC	(6) National Geo.									Coach 3K	Patrol	Burns & A.
KPLR	(1) Wayne's	Wayne's	Unhappily	Muscle 1K	News	Star Trek	Next Gen.	Center	Coach 3K	Patrol	Goats (S)	Rocke Line, L.
									Business	Hill Street Blues	Charlie Rose	North (S)
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	63	64	Talk	SC	Journal (R)	Javelin	Talk (P)	
CNN	9	Primernews	Crossfire	Larry King Live	News	Politics	Sports	Talk/Sp
NICK	6	Jeanette	Bewitched	Lou Love/Lucy M. Moore	Talk	Talk	Newhart	Van Dyke
TNT	23	Slurksy Hank	Slurksy Hank	NBA Basketball	Sp	Sports	News	Arnyed
ESPN	2	World Series	World Series	World Series	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball
ESPN	2	Major League Baseball	Nation News at 5	Major League Baseball	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball	Baseball
DISC	24	World of Discovery	Invention	Next Step	Submarines	World of Discovery	Invention	Next Step
TBS	13	*** "Jaramiah Johnson"	1979 Adventure	Robert Redford	*** "High Plains Drifter"	1973 Clint Eastwood	*** "The Stalking Man"	1978
WB	3	William's Teacher	William's Teacher	William's Teacher	William's Teacher	William's Teacher	William's Teacher	William's Teacher
WABC	10	Wally's	Wally's	Wally's	Wally's	Wally's	Wally's	Wally's
WBWL	10	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop	Jewelry Shop
AMC	28	"The Long Voyage Home" (1940)	*** "El Dorado"	1967 Western	John Wayne, Robert Mitchum	"The Long Voyage Home" (1940)	"El Dorado"	1967
TFN	38	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)	Marly Party (in Stereo)
HTS	24	My Teacher	My Teacher	My Teacher	My Teacher	My Teacher	My Teacher	My Teacher
LYN	5	Unsolved Mysteries	"Deadly Medicine" (1991)	Dramatic	Unsolved Mysteries	Unsolved Mysteries	Unsolved Mysteries	Unsolved Mysteries
HN	33	News	News	News	News	News	News	News
FM	26	Shade	Shade	Shade	Shade	Shade	Shade	Shade
WABC	10	Biography Channel	Biography Channel	Biography Channel	Biography Channel	Biography Channel	Biography Channel	Biography Channel

PREMIUM STATIONS									
HBO	14	*** "Shirley Dinsdale" (1955)	Bruce Willis, R. Lee	Dream Out	Sanders	Crypt Tales	*** "Desperate Hours" (1955)	Mickey Rourke, R.	Com
SHOW	15	*** "Quadrant Test" (1994)	P-13	*** "Ames & Anderson"	1972	"Future Shock" (1993)	Van Schilling, P-13	R.	"Fatal Metal"
TMC	17	"The Cuban Syndrome"	*** "Tombsville"	1982	Western	K. Russell, R.	"Scorched" (1984)	Samuel L. Jackson, R.	"Woman of the Year"

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KMGH	(1)	"Secrets" (1995, Drama) "How I Met Your Mother" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	Love Con.	Late Show (In Street)	Extra	Joni
KSDK	(1)	"Mac Park" (1995, Drama) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News
KNDL	(1)	"Laffin' Boys" (1995, Comedy) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News
KQHL	(1)	"Marty" (1995, Drama) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News
KPLN	(1)	"Single" (1995, Drama) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News
KPTL	(1)	"Dontmyk" (1995, Drama) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News
KRTH	(1)	"Chansons" (1995, Drama) "The 100" (1988) "The	3	News	3	News	3	News	3	News	News	News	News

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## •Flood

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"When the river is that high, the water wants to run away from it instead of into it," Greathouse said.

In Granite City, most of the rescue effort focused on the west part of town — especially the Briarcliff-Melrose area where sandbagging was expected to continue through today.

Nameoki Drive, West Pontoon Road, Highway 203 just south of Interstate 270, and Missouri Avenue were among the streets closed due to impassable water Wednesday.

Ray Schultz, Emergency Services and Disaster Agency director for Granite City, set up headquarters at the corner of Nameoki and West Pontoon roads Wednesday evening, where hundreds of volunteers were filling 22,000 sandbags throughout the day Wednesday and into Thursday morning.

The people are picking up sandbags just as quickly as we can fill them," Schultz said.

In Pontoon Beach and Mitchell, selected areas were evacuated as a result of the rushing water. The Mitchell Lake subdivision near Interstate 270 and Old Alton Road looked more like plain old Mitchell Lake early Wednesday. Volunteers met at the Mitchell Fire Station to fill sandbags to take to the inundated subdivision and tried valiantly to save all of the homes in the area.

But as the rain continued to hammer down, it became apparent to residents and volunteers that only the highest properties might be salvaged.

Robin Thomas of Mitchell Lake said that Maryville School, FirstBank and Hardees had donated food for the volunteer sandbaggers.

Pontoon Beach residents said the flooding this

week was much worse than 1993.

Chris Gorka, a resident of the 3900 block of Lake Street near Long Lake, was sandbagging by herself to keep the lake from entering the cellar of her home and ruining her water heater.

"It has never been this bad. It's a lot worse than in 1993," she said.

Ferdinand Rosales, a resident of Lake Drive for the past 36 years, was removing clothes and valuables from his home as officials had ordered the area evacuated.

"I saw it higher in the 1950s, but not in 1993," said Rosales, 57. "The Village of Pontoon Beach put in all these homes and dumped all this water on us and in the lake and there's no outlet."

"If a drop of water gets in my home, I'm gonna sue the village," Rosales said.

On Wednesday night, the National Weather Service was predicting overnight heavy rainfall to aggravate the already dangerous situation. Flash flood watches were in effect throughout the region.

The NWS was predicting heavy, and possibly severe, thunderstorms continuing Thursday, tapering off to simple showers by this afternoon.

An additional 1 to 2 inches — with the possibility of 5 to 6 inches locally — was being forecast.

The NWS was forecasting the Mississippi River to crest at 9 feet above flood stage Sunday. Additional rainfall could change that prediction.

Pete Gunnell, manager for Illinois Power, said the company was fortunate to avoid much damage during the storm. Only about 300 customers went without service temporarily early Tuesday morning, mostly due to lightning but some also due to damage caused by trees, he said.



(Staff photo by PAM DOEPKEHURD)

Steve Kondrich throws a sandbag into the back of a pickup truck as other volunteers at the Mitchell Fire Station continue to fill bags.

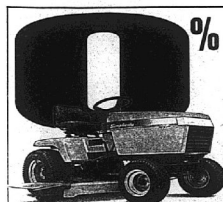


Above, volunteers at the main Granite City Fire Station fill sandbags Wednesday afternoon. At right, a resident of the Village Green Mobile Home Park takes his guitar with him after officials forced residents to evacuate the area.



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## •Pontoon —

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Village Trustee Irene Karlechik, one of the volunteers at the senior center, agreed.

"I've lived out here 45 years, and not in all that time have I ever seen flooding as bad as this, not even in 1993."

She had spent almost 12 hours at the center. After participating in the normally scheduled lunch and bingo, she stayed to help.

Ribbing said the problem is that the water has no place to go.

"The water's got to drain," he said. "Where the 1993 flood had the rivers high, it was all on the other side of the levee."

"This is all inside the levee and it can't get out fast enough with the amount of rain we've had."

In the evening, emphasis shifted toward the eastern part of town, where rising water threatened several subdivisions.

"We'll keep going until we can make sure the people are safe and the property is not damaged any more than can be helped," Ribbing said.

Madison reported no flooding.

In Venice, police reported the Illinois 3 underpass flooded Tuesday morning, and several cars had to be towed. Police also reported minor flooding in the Venice Homes housing project.

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**Stash the trash** — Volunteers from Belleville Area College's Granite City Campus pick up trash along Illinois 203 during the Tri-City Chamber of Commerce's annual Stash the Trash clean-up contest. Clean-up crew members include, from left, June Lanter, GCC Business Office chief clerk; Doug Roy, Industrial Training Center instructor; Jill Shaw, GCC evening supervisor and Dorothy Anderson, instructional support assistant. The 17 volunteers collected 83 bags of litter during the contest.

## Real estate

The following real estate transactions were recorded at the Madison County Courthouse between May 1 and May 5:

Alton	
4410 Delta Queen.....	\$65,900
3244 Hawthorne.....	\$33,900
1206 Logan.....	\$87,500
1515 Main.....	\$31,000
1203 Norton.....	\$35,000
3537 Oscar.....	\$20,000
2504 Virden.....	\$58,000
1852 Washington.....	\$25,000
3617 E Doerr.....	\$51,000
2112 Holland.....	\$59,900
1222 State.....	\$28,500
3236 Theresa.....	\$20,000
27 W Delmar.....	\$49,900
8411 Wenzel.....	\$79,000
3519 Western.....	\$45,500
823 E 4th.....	\$32,500
2500 Hardy.....	\$31,900
511 Ridge.....	\$15,000
5 E Elm.....	\$39,000
3328 Oakland.....	\$25,000
Bethalto	
5 Fernwood Ct.....	\$79,400
3103 Harris.....	\$62,500
3443 Harris.....	\$27,500
802 Grant.....	\$55,000
211 Hickory.....	\$28,000
184 Heatherland.....	\$25,000
433 Walnut.....	\$71,000
Collinsville	
32 Bliss.....	\$124,500
318 Chesapeake.....	\$89,000
521 Howard.....	\$49,000
1024 Meadow Lake.....	\$117,500
223 S Wilson.....	\$105,000
114 Tackla.....	\$52,000
631 Troy.....	\$87,900
116 Wing.....	\$58,400
147 W Lincoln.....	\$49,000
1000 Hickory Point.....	\$22,000
3166 Keebler.....	\$50,000
651 Lasalle.....	\$60,000
509 Birch.....	\$129,500
318 Meister.....	\$17,000
208 Windridge.....	\$98,500
East Alton	
210 Eastmoor.....	\$83,500
214 Mc Casland.....	\$21,252
1 Marilyn Ct.....	\$84,900
125 Whitelaw.....	\$41,000
325 E Haller.....	\$84,900
95 Bond.....	\$24,000
Edwardsville	
1804 Butler.....	\$166,800
LT 86 Center Grove.....	\$36,000
8 Dogwood.....	\$12,000
8 Dogwood.....	\$262,000
LT 86 Martin Ct.....	\$138,900
544 Overlook.....	\$82,500
809 Pepper.....	\$58,475
8722 Pinok.....	\$160,000
302 E Union.....	\$7,500
516 Notre Dame.....	\$56,000
Granite City	
190 Shore.....	\$42,000
326C Deep Water.....	\$25,000
?? Hunters Ridge.....	\$28,400
?? N Oxfordshire.....	\$78,800
207 Brown.....	\$39,000
2218 Bunkum.....	\$91,500
5 Kingsbrooke.....	\$33,155
LT 13 Lincoln Knolls.....	\$38,000
18 N Oxfordshire.....	\$82,000
Glen Carbon	
2 Downing.....	\$269,900
15 Kensington Ct.....	\$220,000
3903 S State.....	\$546,000
331 W Glen.....	\$111,594
Godfrey	
2712 Airport.....	\$70,000
1009 Mc Kinley.....	\$79,500
1359 Normandy.....	\$83,000
4808 Blu-fountain.....	\$193,000
8013 Ernest.....	\$51,900
5011 Staten.....	\$55,000
7924 Diamond Spring.....	\$23,000
6011 Boyd.....	\$28,185
3016 Fox Run.....	\$116,000
?? Humbert.....	\$12,500
Highland	
73 Latzer.....	\$87,331
100 Tulip.....	\$17,500
1519 14th.....	\$32,000
1519 14th.....	\$52,000
2009 Broadway.....	\$40,000
1912 Cypress.....	\$60,000
LT 12 Tri-Land Ct.....	\$8,000
1501 9th.....	\$225,000
LT 17 Silvercrest.....	\$17,500
?? Lake.....	\$11,000
1433 Sebastopol.....	\$24,000
+ LT 3 3rd.....	\$5,500
Marine	
330 N Duncan.....	\$25,000
9 Braze Ct.....	\$68,500
Maryville	
122 E Zupan.....	\$50,000
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A few minutes ago I mentioned the Toronto Bluejays first. Well, there is someone that goes before them.

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2. Is a foster parent.

3. Has unconditional LOVE for her children and grandchildren and would do anything for us.

4. Has an unbelievable amount of patience and understanding.

5. Takes her neighbors to the store and beauty shop.

6. Delivers the paper, and cuts grass for several people in the neighborhood.

7. She is a giver and loves doing it.

Recently, she was in the hospital - it scared the whole family. So I thought it was time to write this and pay tribute to our Mom. She is at home and recovering in Madison. Mom, for all you do and have done - this one's for you:

MOM

God took the sunshine from the skies and made the lovelight in your eyes:

He gave you breath and with his love.

Made yours divine But best of all He made you mine.

Please read Proverbs: Chapt. 31: VRS. 25-31

Mom, we all love you very much, and you are a true champion!

PETE KOSTECKI

DAN KOSTECKI

PATTY CULIBERK (Kostecki)

MARIE MIDYETT (Kostecki)

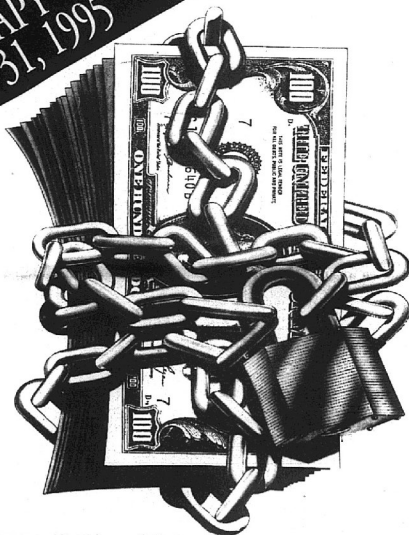
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GCHS coach Gus Lignoul talks with pitcher Matt Krause.

## Warriors seeded 4th in regional

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

With the No. 4 seed and top-seeded Edwardsville looming in the second round, the Granite City Warriors will hope to use the home-field advantage to its fullest next week when play begins at the Granite City Class AA Baseball Regional.

The Warriors (14-14), the defending regional champs, received the No. 4 seed during Tuesday's seeding meeting and will play host to No. 5 Civic Memorial (9-14) at 4 p.m. May 25. The winner will move on to face Edwardsville (19-3), which has a bye and the No. 1 seed, at 10 a.m. May 27 at Varsity Field.

### Baseball

The No. 2 seed and the other first-round bye, while Jerseyville (19-5) was seeded third. Alton (8-15) was seeded sixth and will visit Jerseyville at 4 p.m. May 25.

The Warriors earned the No. 1 regional seed the past two years, but dropped to No. 4 this year. GCHS coach Gus Lignoul said he expected the Warriors to receive the third seed, but their 500 record was given more consideration than their strong schedule this season.

The Warriors have played each team in the regional and defeated second-seeded Wood River 5-2 on March 29. Granite City has also defeated Civic

Memorial.

Edwardsville, one of the top teams in the St. Louis area, appears to be the team to beat. But Lignoul said the Warriors hope to get past CM and earn a chance to avenge last month's 4-1 loss to the Tigers. The regional semifinals will be held next weekend at Varsity Field, with the championship game set for 4 p.m. May 30. Granite City hopes to peak in the postseason and looks forward to playing on its home field after its recent struggles.

"I WISH WE were playing a little better," Lignoul said. "I think Edwardsville has to be the favorite, but you never know. I think if we play well this weekend, it'll help our chances."

The Warriors are scheduled to close out the regular season this weekend with three Southwest Conference games that were postponed earlier this week. Granite City will play host to Alton at 7 p.m. Friday, Collinsville at noon Saturday and Belleville East at 2:30 p.m. Saturday. The Warriors, who are coming off last week's doubleheader loss to O'Fallon, hope to make the games up after a week full of rainstorms.

The SWC games will replace three non-conference games scheduled for this weekend. The Warriors were scheduled to play Salem on Friday and Carbondale in a doubleheader Saturday, but the games have been canceled in order to complete the SWC (See BASEBALL, Page 3B)

## Madison's Wiley, Venice's Berry heading to state

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

Madison High sprinter Shayla Wiley salvaged a season full of frustration for the Trojanettes last week by winning a sectional title and qualifying for the Class A girls state meet.

Wiley, a sophomore, won the 100-meter dash at last Friday's Chester Sectional with a time of 12.94 seconds. She outpaced Red Bud's Kim Roy, who placed second and also advanced to state with a time of 13.1.

Wiley's effort capped off a strong year for the Madison sprinter. Wiley was just one of a handful of competitors this season for the Trojanettes, who were outnumbered all year and struggled to field a full team in most of their meets.

Madison coach Al Collins said Wiley's sectional title helped make up for a tough season for the Trojanettes.

"She went out and ran a strong race," Collins said. "It made it all worth it. She was there most of the season. She knows she has the talent."

Wiley's sectional performance in the 100 was one of her best of the year. At the Madison County



Shayla Wiley

Meet on April 25, she placed second with a time of 12.7.

At the sectional, Wiley also competed in the 400 and just missed qualifying for state after finishing with a time of 1:04. Waterloo's Jenny Wilbracht won the race in 1:01.9. Wiley also fell just short of the state qualifying mark of 1:01.8.

"She did a tremendous job in the 400," Collins said. "She's a real strong athlete. All she needs is a little conditioning."

(See TRACK, Page 3B)

## Warriors 2nd in conference meet

By Karen Vartanian  
Correspondent

Most coaches aren't satisfied with second place.

But in the case of the Granite City High boys tennis team, second place in the Southwest Conference Meet was something to brag about. Belleville West and East are perennially 1-2 in the SWC, but the Warriors moved up a notch this year by finishing ahead of the Lancers.

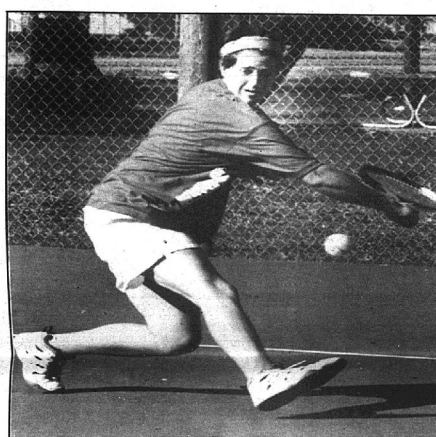
WEST WON AGAIN with 49 points, with the Warriors getting 40 points. Belleville East finished with 39.

GCHS coach Allen Lobdell couldn't single out any one individual's performance in the competition, which finished Monday.

"I'm very pleased with everyone's performance," he said. "Everyone finished as well as he could."

The conference meet was broken up into six singles flights and three double competitions. Overall, the Warriors placed first in singles and second in doubles. The final point totals were then determined by combining the points accumulated.

At No. 1 singles, Joe Markel of the Warriors beat Collinsville's Todd Moore 6-16, 6-4 in the semifinals, then knocked off West's Scott Guettermann 6-7, 6-4, 6-2. Senior Chris Mitchell placed second at No. 2 singles, losing 4-6, 6-4, 5-7 to Ryan Lakin



Joel Belmer of GCHS returns a shot.

of the Maroons in the finals.

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the Warriors also won at No. 5 singles, beating West's Ethan Sivewright 3-6, 7-6, 7-5 in the

### Boys tennis

finals. Sophomore Chris Carpenter narrowly missed claiming the No. 6 singles title, losing 3-6, 5-7 to Jared Myers in the finals.

Lobdell also said he was impressed with the performances of seniors Joel Belmer and Mark Papp.

But even with the strong performance in the conference meet, Lobdell hasn't been entirely pleased with his team's performance this season. Because of rainouts and rescheduled matches, the Warriors have had trouble getting into a consistent rhythm.

"At times, we've played brilliantly," Lobdell said. "But we've had weeks without any matches, and it's hard for us to get our rhythm that way. We've really only played great two or three times this season."

ON A MORE positive note, Lobdell said his team had played some tough matches and lost some close ones.

"Overall, we're much stronger than last year," he said. "We've faced some strong teams, and many of our losses could have gone either way."

Granite City's losses have come against Belleville East, West, Alton and Edwardsville. The Warriors have a 6-4 record in dual meets.

In Tuesday's 7-2 loss to (See TENNIS, Page 3B)

## All-stater Dowdy joined by 2 others on Downstate unit

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

Staci Dowdy carried on a Lady Warriors tradition this week when she was named All-State by the Illinois High School Soccer Coaches Association.

Dowdy, one of the area's top players and the Lady Warriors' scoring leader as a junior, has excelled in Granite City's backfield after switching from striker to sweeper this season. She becomes the third GCHS player at the position in as many years to be named All-State.

THE TEAM'S SWEEPER last year, Kami Kessel, was voted All-State after taking over a position vacated by 1993 All-Stater Beth Rapoff. Dowdy has continued the tradition this season after beginning the year at striker and making a smooth adjustment to the backfield.

Dowdy has scored only three goals after netting 16 last year, but her switch to the backfield has helped bolster the Lady Warriors' defense.

Dowdy suffered an ankle injury in the second game of the season March 25, but made a quick recovery and took over at sweeper three games later. When the Lady Warriors advanced to the semifinals of the St. Dominic Howell North Shootout last month, she was named to the all-tournament team.

DOWDY, A THREE-year starter,



Genovese



Gauen

helped lead the Lady Warriors to a fourth-place finish in the state tournament last season and is looking to cap off her career with a third straight trip to state.

"Staci has gotten so much done on the field against quality competition," Granite City coach Gene Baker said. "She's been our catalyst in so many ways."

Dowdy was also named to the Illinois Downstate Eleven team along with two senior teammates, Tonya Genovese and Kara Gauen. The 11-player team was selected by a group of high school coaches representing southern Illinois, Peoria, Springfield and Quincy.

Dowdy and Genovese made the first team, and Gauen was an honorable-mention pick. The team honors the top players from Illinois outside the Chicago

(See SOCCER, Page 3B)



Staci Dowdy is the third straight GCHS sweeper to receive all-state honors.

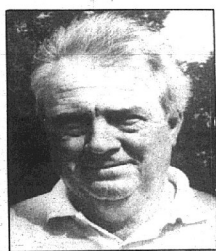
## Baker soccer camp set for June 12-16 for youth players

Granite City High soccer coach Gene Baker's 1995 youth soccer camp will be held June 12-16 at Granite City High School.

The camp, open to boys and girls ages 7-18, has provided area youths instruction from one of the sport's most renowned coaches over the past 20 years. Baker has led GCHS to nine state championships and has recorded more than 500 career victories in 27 years on the high school level.

The camp will begin at 9 a.m. June 12 and will follow a daily schedule from 9 a.m.-1 p.m. through June 16. The camp will be divided into periods of technical training, individual skills competition, instructional game film and tactical training sessions and competitive games.

Camp instruction will once again be provided by college players and high school coaches.



Gene Baker

Applications for the camp are now being taken. The cost is \$70 per camper, with family and team rates available. For more information, call Baker at (314) 355-2374 or 451-5808.

### Trivial matters

1. This year marks the eighth year the Illinois High School Association has held a girls state soccer series. Has any school won more than one state championship in that time?

2. In 1991, when Edwardsville finished second in the Class AA state baseball tourney, what future major leaguer was on the team that beat EHS in the finals? Answers at right.

### Community Sports Calendar

#### SIUE basketball camps

Openings are still available at Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville for the summer basketball camps. For more information, call 692-2660.

Individual day camps for boys are scheduled in two sessions, June 12-15 and July 10-13. Sessions for grades 1-4 are 9 a.m. to noon and sessions for grades 5-8 are 1-4 p.m. Each camp is \$65 per person. A high school varsity team camp for boys will be held from 9 a.m. to 9 p.m. June 25-29. The cost is \$140 for commuters and \$210 for residents.



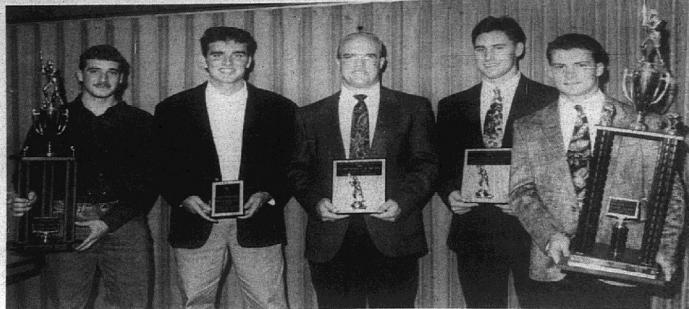
### Coming up

Sectional competition  
Joe Markel (left) and the Granite City High tennis team compete in the Belleville West Sectional this Friday and Saturday.

#### Trivia answers

1. St. Charles has won three — in 1990, 1992 and 1994.  
2. South Holland Thornwood's Cliff Floyd, now with the Montreal Expos.





Left: John Moad is greeted by teammates after homering last season. Above: The then-Granite City Eagles won plenty of awards as league champions in 1993. Left to right are Brian Harshany, Darin Hendrickson, Daren DePew, Jamie Hogan and Tim Hogan. Below: Harshany will be one of the top pitchers again for Granite City, now known as the Clippers.

## Under new name, Mon-Clair team ready

By Tony Panozzo  
Staff writer

The uniforms will be different, and so is the name. But only some fine-tuning by manager Daren DePew will set apart this year's Granite City squad from previous teams in the Mon-Clair Baseball League.

A team loaded with standout baseball talent, formerly known as the Eagles and made up of many of the same players, will take the field Sunday as the Granite City Clippers.

DEPEW'S SQUAD PLAYS host to Valmeyer in a doubleheader beginning at 1:30 p.m. at Dal Maxville Field. The name change is a reflection of the team's new sponsor, Grand Central Post, a video production company operated by DePew's brother, Kevin. The Clippers will be outfitted in gray uniforms with black and purple trim and will look to carry on a tradition established by Granite City over the past six years in the Mon-Clair League. Granite City has won two league titles (1992-93) and two straight Valmeyer Tournament titles. DePew's team fell just short of a Mon-Clair "three-peat" last year when it advanced to the league championship series and lost to the Waterloo Buds in the title game. The Buds ended a two-year title run by Granite City, which has bolstered its pitching staff during the off-season and seems determined to recapture its tradition of dominance.

HAD GRANITE CITY defeated Waterloo last year, it would have marked the first time a team other than the Buds had

GRANITE CITY CLIPPERS	
May	
21 Valmeyer (2).....	1:30 p.m.
28 Sauget (2).....	1:30 p.m.
29 East Alton (2).....	1:30 p.m.
June	
4 at East St. Louis (2).....	1:30 p.m.
9 at Waterloo.....	7:30 p.m.
9 at Cape Girardeau (Mo.).....	8 p.m.
10 at Belleville (2).....	1:30 p.m.
11 at Edwardsville (2).....	1:30 p.m.
18 O'Fallon (2).....	1:30 p.m.
25 Edwardsville (2).....	1:30 p.m.
July	
14 Valmeyer Tournament.....	TBA
9 East St. Louis (2).....	1:30 p.m.
16 at Millstadt (2).....	1:30 p.m.
19 All-Star game at Waterloo.....	TBA
22-23 Prairie State Games.....	TBA
29 Waterloo (2).....	1:30 p.m.
30 at O'Fallon (2).....	1:30 p.m.
August	
6 at East Alton (2).....	1:30 p.m.
12 Playoffs.....	TBA
18-20 Playoff finals at O'Fallon.....	TBA

won three straight titles. Granite City outlasted Waterloo two years ago for the league title.

"We'll have to start over and win the next three," said DePew, a player manager who will be behind the plate at catcher again this season. "Hopefully this year we can get things going. We had a good year last year and we're looking for big things again. I think we're as solid as we've ever been."

Granite City won the North Division last year with a 20-6 record and advanced to the league finals, where Waterloo prevailed in a thrilling two-game series on the league's final day. The format of the league's final playoff series was changed to a double-elimination tournament

that was held over three days at Longacre Park in Fairview Heights.

THE WEEKEND took its toll on Granite City's pitching staff, which consisted primarily of starters Darin Hendrickson and Brian Harshany and several other hurlers. Five games in two days proved too much for Granite City, and Waterloo capped off its title with a 15-3 victory in the final game.

DePew has added three players to this year's team in the hopes of improving the staff. Jeff Ridenour of Southern Illinois University-Edwardsville and two Kaskaskia College players, Mark Winfield and Corey Dickerson, have joined the squad and will help round out the rotation. The three 1994 Granite City High School graduates are the only additions to a team that returns most of its players from last year.

"WE'RE BASICALLY the same team, but we've added a few kids," DePew said. "I think it'll be good for these kids, plus they can help us out."

"We needed more pitching when we reached the playoff tournament last year. We had to play five games in two days and we kind of ran out of pitching. But we did all right."

Offensively, Granite City has been one of the league's most powerful teams over the past few years. This year, the Clippers appear to be just as strong. Granite City's lineup is built around speed and power, with players like shortstop Jamie Hogan, center fielder Tim Hogan and second baseman Jeff Ste-

phens. DePew, first baseman John Moad, third baseman Harshany and left fielder John Spotsanski are all sluggers who will be counted on to drive in runs.

HENDRICKSON WILL see time in the field when he is not pitching, and Harshany will split time between third base and the mound. The Clippers have lost a top hitter from last year, Doug Duncan, but DePew looks for Ridenour to step in and contribute at the plate and as a right fielder.

"We're hoping Ridenour can fill the void," DePew said. "We're glad to have him this year."

Granite City will again play in the North Division along with East Alton, Edwardsville, East St. Louis and O'Fallon. Waterloo, Valmeyer, Millstadt, Sauget and Belleville make up the South Division.



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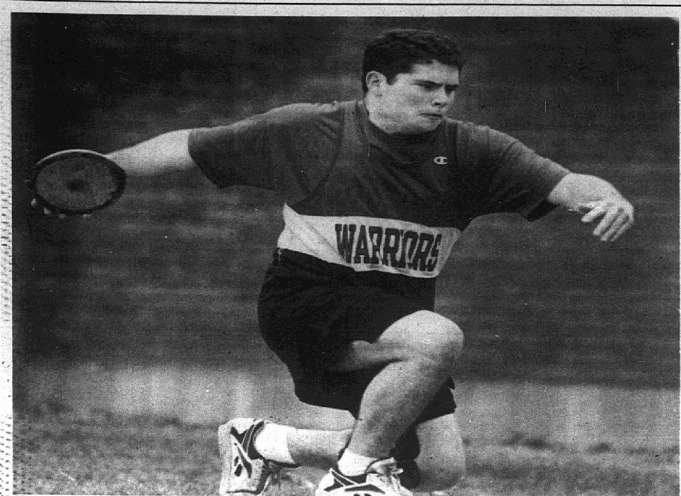
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Jeff Logsdon of the Granite City High boys track team throws the discus at the Southwestern Conference Meet in Collinsville last week. The Warriors return to Kahok Stadium on Friday for the Class AA Sectional. The top two finishers in each event, plus those who equal or surpass IHSAA qualifying standards, advance to the state finals in Charleston on May 26-27.

## Soccer

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OTHER FIRST-TEAM selections were Amy Votava and Megan Steward of Chatham Glenwood, Beth Albrecht of O'Fallon, Heather Jalinsky of Collinsville, Jaime Hennessey of

Alton, Lori Thomas of Quincy, Tracie Struther of Peoria Notre Dame, Kelly Gilbert of Peoria Richwoods and Liz Scheffler of Springfield. In addition to being selected for the Illinois Downstate Eleven team, Dowdy, Genovese and Gauw were also named to the all-Granite City Sectional team.

The Lady Warriors have earned the No. 1 seed in the 27-team sectional, which begins Saturday. Granite City will kick off sectional play at 4 p.m. Monday with a game against the winner of a first-round matchup between Roxana and Staunton.

## Track

(Continued from Page 18)

Wiley is now preparing for the IHSAA state meet, which begins with preliminary competition Friday at Eastern Illinois University's O'Brien Stadium in Charleston. The state finals will be held Saturday.

Wiley's best time in the 100

(12.7) ranks among the state's best this year.

"She has a chance to win it," Collins said. "I think she'll qualify for the finals."

Wiley will be accompanied at state by Venice High's Tia Berry, who won sectional titles in both the 200 and the long jump last week at Chester. Berry won

the 200 with a time of 26.8 and cleared 16-7 to win the long jump.

Berry, a freshman, also placed third and behind Wiley in the 100 with a time of 13.2.

"It was amazing," Collins said. "She's a tremendous athlete. I hope both of them make the (state) finals."

## Baseball

(Continued from Page 18)

schedule.

THE WARRIORS ARE 5-2 and in second place in the SWC behind first-place Collinsville (7-1). Granite City is the defending SWC champion and still has a chance to win a piece of the conference title.

"We have our own destiny in our hands," Lignoul said. "It's a big weekend for us to get ready for the regional."

The Warriors hope to put behind some recent frustration this weekend. Granite City has lost seven of its past nine games and has been unable to play or

even practice outdoors this week because of the weather.

"There's nothing you can do about it," Lignoul said. "It's giv-

en us some time to work on some things, but you have to work inside instead of outside. You can't do as many things."

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## IHSA spring postseason

### BASEBALL

#### Dupo Regional

Tuesday, May 16

Game 1: (9) Lovejoy at (8) Valmeyer, 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 18

Game 2: Game 1 winner at (1) Waterloo, 4 p.m.

Game 3: (5) Metro East Lutheran at (4) Gibault, 4 p.m.

Game 4: (6) Roxana at (3) Dupo, 4 p.m.

Game 5: (7) Columbia vs. (2) Althoff at Longacre Park, 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 20

Game 6: Game 2 winner vs. Game 3 winner, 10 a.m.

Game 7: Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 12:30 p.m.

Monday, May 22

Championship: Game 6 winner vs. Game 7 winner, 4 p.m.

#### Marissa Regional

Tuesday, May 16

Game 1: (9) Chester at (8) Coulterville, 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 18

Game 2: Game 1 winner at (1) Steeleville, 4 p.m.

Game 3: (5) Red Bud at (4) Marissa, 4 p.m.

Game 4: (6) Trico at (3) New Athens, 4 p.m.

Game 5: (7) Sparta at (2) Freeburg, 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 20

Game 6: Game 2 winner vs. Game 3 winner, 10 a.m.

Game 7: Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner, 12:30 p.m.

Monday, May 22

Championship: Game 6 winner vs. Game 7 winner, 4:30 p.m.

#### Vandalia Regional

Tuesday, May 16

Game 1: (9) Brownstown at (8) Mator Del, 4 p.m.

Game 2: (10) Mulberry Grove at (7)

Okawville, 4 p.m.

Thursday, May 18

Game 3: Game 1 winner at (1) Greenville, 4 p.m.

Game 4: (5) Central at (4) Vandalia, 4 p.m.

Game 5: Game 2 winner at (2) Westcliff, 4 p.m.

Game 6: (6) Lebanon at (3) Carlyle, 4 p.m.

Saturday, May 20

Game 7: Game 3 winner vs. Game 4 winner, 10 a.m.

Game 8: Game 5 winner vs. Game 6 winner, 12:30 p.m.

Monday, May 22

Championship: Game 7 winner vs. Game 8 winner, 4 p.m.

#### Freeburg Sectional

Saturday, May 27

Game 1: Dupo Regional winner vs. DuQuoin regional winner

Game 2: Marissa Regional winner vs. Vandalia Regional winner

Monday, May 29

Championship: Game 1 winner vs. Game 2 winner

### GIRLS SOCCER

#### Granite City Sectional

Regional A

Saturday, May 20

or Monday, May 22

Game 1: (17) Roxana at (16) Staunton

Game 2: (25) Pleasant Plains at (8) Rochester

Game 3: (24) Springfield Lutheran at (9) Chatham Glenwood

Monday, May 22

or Tuesday, May 23

Game 4: Game 1 winner at (1) Granite City

Game 5: Game 2 winner vs. Game 3 winner

Thursday, May 25

Regional championship: Game 4 winner vs. Game 5 winner

#### Regional B

cautiously optimistic.

"We'll face some tough competition from Belleville West and Althoff at the sectional," he said. "But I think we have a chance to send a doubles team and a singles player to state."

But no matter what, Lobdell knows this team accomplished

something that many other GCHS teams haven't done at the conference meet.

"We haven't finished this high in my time as head coach, so we know Granite City has not finished this high in at least 10 years," he said.

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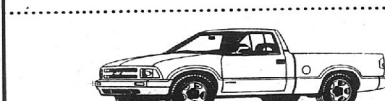
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## Students, faculty, leaders honored

The Kimmel Leadership Center of Southern Illinois University at Edwardsville honored students, faculty, and staff, as well as community leaders, at the annual recognition program Wednesday, April 26, at the University Center.

SUIE President Nancy Belck spoke at the program, where recognition was given for outstanding contributions in volunteerism, leadership and service. In addition to those listed below, several awards were given to University Housing student employees and faculty and staff who were involved in the SUIE Residence Hall Mentoring Program.

Local winners are:  
Outstanding student leaders  
Belleville — Brian Lang, ep Cahokia — Mary Clemons  
Edwardsville — Breman Anderson, Marcus Atkins, Kristi Bennett, Sonja Mosley-Whitlock, Sarahjini Nunn, Kelly Shull  
The 1995 Adviser of the Year is James T. Jackson, adviser for

the SUIE Student Association and assistant professor of special education. The 1995 Organization of the Year is Alpha Phi Alpha Fraternity of Edwardsville. The 1995 Outstanding Program of the Year is Alpha Phi Alpha's Dr. Martin Luther King Jr. Week program. The Outstanding Community Service Project of the Year is Project: GAIN, the Future Nurse's Club Project.

Student leadership development program  
The following students have successfully completed the Student Leadership Development Program for the 1994-95 academic year.

Edwardsville — Tonja Groves, Brandon Jeffers, Shay Ranek  
The 1995 edition of "Who's Who Among Students in American Universities and Colleges" will include the names of 28 students from SUIE. Local students include:  
Belleville — Samantha Schaefer.

Cahokia — Mary Clemons.  
East St. Louis — Vickie Hubbard, Lori Patton.  
Edwardsville — Kristi Bennett, Gregory Conroy, Susan Drake, Amy Eller, Marsha Goddard, Timothy Nugent, Cheryl Owen, Melody Sadler, Jennifer Still, Sean Turner, Joseph Turner, Rachel Watts-Wood, Toni Wolf.  
Glen Carbon — Kristine Cyganowicz.  
Granite City — Brian Henry, Tiffany Hicks.  
St. Jacob — Resha Paumier.  
Waterloo — Karla Allscheid.

## SUIC recognizes honor students

Southern Illinois University at Carbondale recognized 1,723 undergraduate students who have achieved academic excellence at spring Honors Day ceremonies Sunday, April 9, on campus.

Honors recognition goes to full-time students with cumulative grade-point averages of 3.5 or better (on a 4.0 scale) on SUIC coursework completed through fall semester 1994.

Transfer students also must achieve a 3.5 cumulative grade-point average (again on a 4.0 scale) for all work completed before entering SUIC.

Among these, 729 students earned special honors by maintaining even higher grade-point averages. Some 434 students earned recognition for grade-point averages of 3.75 or above (indicated by \*), and 295 for grade-point averages of 3.9 or above (indicated by \*\*).

Students who received special awards and prizes were also named in the official Honors Day Program.

Local students honored include:  
Granite City — Jodi Kessler, Moro — Christopher Augustson, David Matevey.

East St. Louis — Tanevia Williams\*, Shannon May, Timothy Staples\*, Chanda Sumrall.  
Fairview Heights — Kelly Higgins.

Belleville — Anna Andersen, Keith Schreier, Carissa Derzotes, Karen Jansen, March\*, Kristie Morris, Latrecia Jackson, Denise Rollberg.  
Swansea — Michael Robidoux, Dana Stewart.

Breese — Rochelle Jansen\*\*, Julia Southern.  
Caseville — Robert Bean.  
Collinsville — Lisa Cundall, Lori Nichols, Paul Scott, Donald Seltzer.

Columbia — Keith Eschmann, Bridget Konrad.  
New Athens — Melissa Majzel, Shawna Hein\*, Nathan Majzel, Terry Wildy\*.

New Baden — Craig Fuehne\*, Erin Materkowski.  
O'Fallon — Christina Brakebill, Andrew Davidson, Staci Eversman, Alice Foley, Amber Hansen, Gregory Hinz, Jennifer Massie, Gregory Morrisette, Tina Munson\*, Mary Potter, Nathan Slook\*, Joshua Valtos\*, Zachary Zelms\*.

## Association celebrates herbs in all seasons

More than 30 members of the Heritage Herb Association celebrate herbs in all seasons, by growing, preserving and using herbs from their gardens. HHA members discover the age-old knowledge that nature has put everything we need on the planet, without harmful side effects. They also know it is the individuals' responsibility to educate themselves on the proper use. Most common uses for herbs grown in the garden are culinary, fragrant, medicinal, household or craft. Herb Gardening is one of the best places to start the celebration of herbs.

In Madison County, many herbs are at their prime in May or June and deteriorate at their with the extreme heat of summer. To maintain plant life and the essential oil production, dead head (remove spent blooms) continually. Many herbs are multipurpose, not fitting into one classification. Some of the old herbs are now considered weeds by today's gardeners. Think twice before pulling those weeds. With proper cultivation, many weeds can provide cosmetics and medicinal 'simples'.

Here is a basic outline for starting an herb garden:

Start small and keep it simple. Knowing what plant goes where saves the misery of moving plants after they're in the ground. By starting small, the gardener won't be overwhelmed by invasive monster mints or tansies.

Before you dig, CALL JULIE to locate underground utilities 1-800-892-0123. A 48-hour advance notice, prior to digging is required.

Define garden location either with string and stakes, an empty garden hose, garden lime or flour in a plastic bag with small hole cut in a corner. Strip sod from soil, either with a flat shovel or a rental sod stripper.

Dig and turn the top 6-12 inches of soil, the deeper, the better.

Spread amendments on the freshly dug soil. Amendments can include composted manure, peat moss, perlite, vermiculite or compost. Many

soils in Madison County are clay. Never add sand directly to clay soil without adding composted manure.

Till or dig amendments into soil.  
Rake soil until smooth. Do not walk on the freshly tilled soil. Place planks or stepping stones on which to walk to avoid compacting the soil.

Plant according to design plan, allowing space for mature plants, following seed package or plant marker instructions at correct depth.

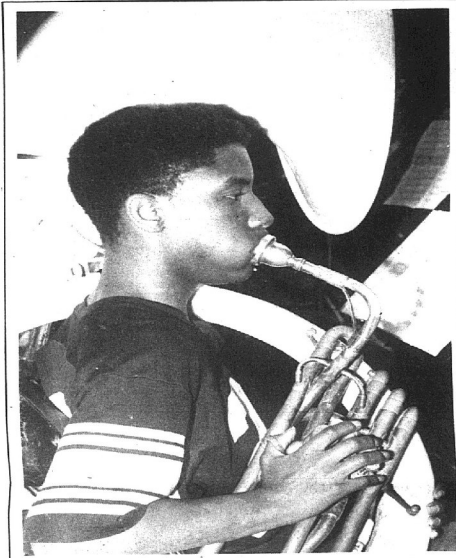
Water, gently but thoroughly. If direct planting, never let seedlings dry out completely.

Mulch heavily to help the garden retain moisture and discourage weed growth.

HHA's Meetings are at 7 p.m., the third Tuesday evening of each month. For the month of May, HHA members (only) are meeting and touring Loe's Greenhouse. During the growing season, meetings are held in the Madison County Historical Museum Herb Garden. From November-June meetings are in the Farm Bureau Community Room on Hillsboro in Edwardsville. Individual memberships are \$12 per year. Family memberships are \$18. Newsletter subscriptions are available for \$12 and are published by the Cooperative Office.

HHA Membership includes: a subscription to the Herbal Thymes, HHA's monthly newsletter, Herbal Samplers at each meeting, discounts on herb and gardening books through the Southern Illinois Herb Alliance, an opportunity to network and travel to herb events with other herbalists from Lebanon to Godfrey and Highland to Glen Carbon. Novice and advanced gardeners are always welcome to join. Anyone interested in learning more about HHA may contact, Director, Diane Dale at 656-7007. For those wishing "hands-on" herb gardening instruction, Dale (U of I Master Gardener) teaches herb gardening or herb crafting in her home herb garden in Holiday Shores on Saturday mornings.

This article was written by Diane Dale and submitted to the Journal.



**Name that tuba** — To celebrate Music in Our Schools Month during March, Belleville Area College hosted the 43rd Annual St. Clair County High School Music Festival. On the tuba, Ladarrian Johnson of Loveloy High School practices a Gershwin tune with the festival band. Musicians from 12 area high schools participated in the festival. Activities included a festival chorus as well as a festival band. BAC also hosted the St. Clair County Junior High School Band and Chorus Festival.

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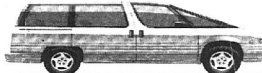
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3016 Arsenal St. 771-7755  
Travelin' Band, 10:30 p.m. - 2:30 a.m. May 19 & 20.

**Blueberry Hill**  
6504 Delmar 727-0880 (Music Phone 727-0880)  
All shows start around 9:30 p.m. with a 53-4 cover.

**Boat House**  
212 N. Main, St. Charles 940-9253  
Mark Gordon with Farrell, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. May 19.

**Brewsky's**  
1792 N. New Florissant Rd. 837-0553  
Beno, May 17, 18, 24, 25 & 31.

**Broadway Oyster Bar**  
736 S. Broadway 621-8811  
Joe Bidwell Trio, May 16 & 30.

**Casa Loma Ballroom**  
3354 Iowa 664-8000  
Bob Constantine, May 18 & 25.

**Casino St. Charles**  
Riverfront Station, St. Charles 947-3223  
Galaxy, at the dockside casino, 6:30 - 11:45 p.m. May 15, 16, 17, 18, 19 & 20.

**Chris' Pub**  
1833 Dunn Rd. 837-5491  
Zoe Ann & Larry, 8:30 - 11 p.m. May 16, 23 & 30.

**Christ Church Cathedral**  
1210 Locust St. 231-3454  
The Arch Brass Quintet will perform a free concert at 2:30 p.m. May 14. The concert features the music of Coller Jones, Thom Ritter Jones and Dallas Blair.

**Crazy Fish Fresh Grill**  
15 N. Meramec 726-2111  
Dave Sager (trombone), May 17, 18, 19 & 20.

**Crystal Ballroom**  
Stanton, Ill. (618) 635-3506  
Don Glasgow Orchestra bring their big band sounds to a special Mother's Day dance from 4-8 p.m. May 14.

**Dave's Cappuccino**  
206 N. Bluff Rd. (618) 344-JAVA  
Mark Gordon, 9 p.m. to midnight, May 31.

**Dierdorf & Hart's at Union Station**  
108 Union Station 421-1772  
George Sladek, 6-10 p.m. May 19, 20, 26 & 27.

**The Dock Rockers**  
12653 Olive Blvd. 542-9080  
Fatti & The Hitmen, 8 p.m. to midnight May 16, 20, 23 & 30.

**Easy Street Bar & Grill**  
3533 Dunn 837-8035  
On Tap, May 14 & 15.

**Eden Seminary Commons**  
475 East Lockwood  
St. Louis Voices, 8 p.m. May 20. Tickets are \$10.

**1860 Saloon & Restaurant**  
1860 S. 9th 231-1060  
Bob Case, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m. May 14, 21 & 28.

**Erma Whitehead**  
Fluid Drive, 9 p.m. - 1 a.m. May 17, 24 & 31.

**816 Geyer 436-0921**  
Joe Bidwell Trio, May 17, 24 & 31.

**Moe's Place**  
5445 Telegraph 892-2778  
Chic, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m. May 14.

**Molly's**  
816 Geyer 436-0921  
Joe Bidwell Trio, May 17, 24 & 31.

**Muddy Waters**  
Union Station 421-5335  
Fanfare-Kittie Moller, 7:30 - 11:30 p.m. May 14, 21 & 26.

**Nashville, Ill. City Park**  
Patti & The Hitmen perform at the Mayfest celebration from 8:30 a.m. - 12:30 a.m. May 26.

**Ninth & Russell Restaurant**  
2028 S. 9th 773-5565  
Dutch Schultz & The Untouchables, May 20.

**94th Aero Squadron**  
5933 McDonnell Blvd. 731-3400  
Mark Gordon, 5-8 p.m. May 17, 24 & 31.

**Oasis Coffee House**  
8130 Big Bend Blvd. 968-3038  
Carmichael Day, original rock and roll, 9-11 p.m. May 17.

**Off Broadway Nightclub**  
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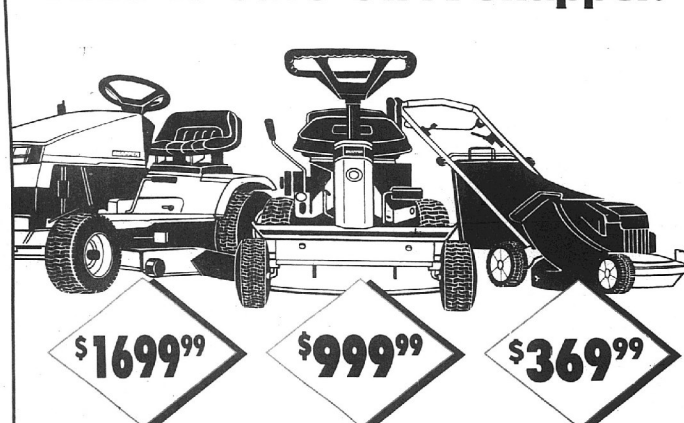
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